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During the week ending 9 November 1996, at its 3709th meeting, held on 6 November 1996, the Security Council proceeded to the election of the five members of the International Court of Justice, in accordance with article 13 of the Statute of the Court, to fill the five seats that will become vacant on 5 February 1997 on the expiry of the term of office of five Judges.

On the first ballot, Mr. Mohammed Bedjaoui (Algeria), Mr. Pieter H. Kooijmans (Netherlands), Mr. Stephen M. Schwebel (United States of America) and Mr. Vladlen S. Vereshchetin (Russian Federation) received the required majority of votes in the Security Council.

Since only four candidates had received the required absolute majority of votes in the Security Council on the first ballot, the Council had to proceed to a second ballot for the remaining vacancy, in accordance with rule 61 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

Since, after the second ballot, no candidate had received the required majority of votes, the Council had to proceed to a third ballot for the remaining vacancy, in accordance with rule 61 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

On the third ballot, Mr. Francisco Rezek (Brazil) received the required absolute majority of votes in the Security Council. As Mr. Mohammed Bedjaoui, Mr. Pieter H. Kooijmans, Mr. Francisco Rezek, Mr. Stephen M. Schwebel and

Mr. Vladlen S. Vereshchetin also received the required majority of votes in the General Assembly, they were declared elected members of the International Court of Justice for a term of office of nine years, beginning on 6 February 1997.

Also, during the week ending 9 November 1996, the Security Council took action on the following item:

The situation in the Great Lakes region (see S/1996/15/Add.43)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3710th meeting, held on 9 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 7 November 1996 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1996/916).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Burundi, Rwanda and Zaire, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/921) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/921 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1078 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1078 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

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During the week ending 16 November 1996, the Security Council met at its 3711th meeting, held on 13 November 1996, to consider its draft report to the General Assembly covering the period from 16 June 1995 to 15 June 1996.

The Security Council adopted the draft report without a vote, and the decision was reflected in a note by the President of the Council (S/1996/935).

Also, during the week ending 16 November 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Croatia (see S/25070/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.5, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.17, S/1995/40/Add.19, S/1995/40/Add.23, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.31, S/1995/40/Add.35, S/1995/40/Add.39, S/1995/40/Add.46, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.1, S/1996/15/Add.2, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.7, S/1996/15/Add.20, S/1996/15/Add.26, S/1996/15/Add.28, S/1996/15/Add.30 and S/1996/15/Add.32; see also S/22110/Add.38, S/22110/Add.47, S/22110/Add.50, S/23370/Add.1, S/23370/Add.5, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.14, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.19, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.23, S/23370/Add.24, S/23370/Add.26, S/23370/Add.28, S/23370/Add.29, S/23370/Add.31, S/23370/Add.32, S/23370/Add.35, S/23370/Add.36, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.45, S/23370/Add.46, S/23370/Add.49, S/23370/Add.50, S/25070/Add.1, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.7, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.9, S/25070/Add.11, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.15, S/25070/Add.16, S/25070/Add.17,

S/25070/Add.18, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.29, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.33, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.39, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.43, S/25070/Add.45, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.8, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.14, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.23, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.26, S/1994/20/Add.31, S/1994/20/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.44, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1994/20/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.2, S/1995/40/Add.6, S/1995/40/Add.12, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.15, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.24, S/1995/40/Add.26, S/1995/40/Add.27, S/1995/40/Add.28, S/1995/40/Add.29, S/1995/40/Add.32, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.40, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.48, S/1995/40/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.6, S/1996/15/Add.8, S/1996/15/Add.13, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.21, S/1996/15/Add.31, S/1996/15/Add.37, S/1996/15/Add.39 and S/1996/15/Add.40)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3712th meeting, held on 15 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Transitional Administration for Eastern Slavonia, Baranja and Western Sirmium (S/1996/883).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Croatia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/938) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/938 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1079 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1079 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in the Great Lakes region (see S/1996/15/Add.43 and S/1996/15/Add.44)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3713th meeting, held on 15 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the letter dated 14 November 1996 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1996/941).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, the Congo, Denmark, Finland, Gabon, Ireland, Israel, Luxembourg, Mali, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Rwanda, Spain, Sweden and Zaire, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/943), which had been submitted by Belgium, Botswana, Canada, Chile, Denmark, Egypt, France, Gabon, Germany, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America and Zaire. The President announced that Argentina, Austria, Cameroon, the Congo, Finland, Israel, Luxembourg, Mali and Sweden had joined in sponsoring draft resolution S/1996/943.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/943 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1080 (1996) (for the text, see S/PRES/1080 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

Subsequently, the President drew attention to a letter dated 15 November 1996 from the Permanent Representative of Brazil to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1996/949), which stated that it had been the intention of Brazil to be a sponsor of draft resolution S/1996/943.

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During the week ending 23 November 1996, at its 3714th meeting, held in private on 19 November 1996, the Security Council considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"At its 3714th meeting, held in private on 19 November 1996, the Security Council considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations. The Council had before it document S/1996/952, containing the text of a draft resolution submitted by Botswana, Chile, China, Egypt, France, Germany, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Indonesia and the Russian Federation, which read as follows:

'The Security Council,

'Having considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations,

'Recommends to the General Assembly that Mr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali be appointed Secretary-General of the United Nations for a second term of office from 1 January 1997 to 31 December 2001.'

"In a vote taken by secret ballot, the draft resolution received 14 votes in favour, one vote against and no abstentions. Since the negative vote was cast by a permanent member, the draft resolution was not adopted.

"The Council will continue its consultations on the matter."

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During the week ending 30 November 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in the Middle East (see S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, S/10855/Add.16, S/10855/Add.23, S/10855/Add.24, S/10855/Add.29, S/10855/Add.30, S/10855/Add.33, S/10855/Add.41, S/10855/Add.43, S/10855/Add.44, S/11185/Add.14, S/11185/Add.15, S/11185/Add.16, S/11185/Add.21, S/11185/Add.42/Rev.1, S/11185/Add.47, S/11593/Add.15, S/11593/Add.21, S/11593/Add.29, S/11593/Add.42, S/11593/Add.49, S/11935/Add.21, S/11935/Add.42, S/11935/Add.48, S/12269/Add.12, S/12269/Add.13, S/12269/Add.21, S/12269/Add.42, S/12269/Add.48, S/12520/Add.10, S/12520/Add.11, S/12520/Add.17, S/12520/Add.21, S/12520/Add.37, S/12520/Add.39, S/12520/Add.42, S/12520/Add.47, S/12520/Add.48, S/13033/Add.2, S/13033/Add.16, S/13033/Add.19, S/13033/Add.21, S/13033/Add.23, S/13033/Add.34, S/13033/Add.47, S/13033/Add.50, S/13737/Add.15, S/13737/Add.16, S/13737/Add.21, S/13737/Add.24, S/13737/Add.25, S/13737/Add.26, S/13737/Add.33, S/13737/Add.47, S/13737/Add.50, S/14326/Add.10, S/14326/Add.11, S/14326/Add.20, S/14326/Add.24, S/14326/Add.28, S/14326/Add.29, S/14326/Add.47, S/14326/Add.50, S/14840/Add.8, S/14840/Add.21, S/14840/Add.22, S/14840/Add.23, S/14840/Add.24, S/14840/Add.25, S/14840/Add.27, S/14840/Add.30, S/14840/Add.31, S/14840/Add.32, S/14840/Add.33, S/14840/Add.37, S/14840/Add.42, S/14840/Add.48, S/15560/Add.3, S/15560/Add.21, S/15560/Add.29,

S/15560/Add.37, S/15560/Add.42, S/15560/Add.45, S/15560/Add.47, S/15560/Add.48, S/16270/Add.6, S/16270/Add.7, S/16270/Add.8, S/16270/Add.15, S/16270/Add.20, S/16270/Add.21, S/16270/Add.34, S/16270/Add.35, S/16270/Add.40, S/16270/Add.47, S/16880/Add.8, S/16880/Add.9, S/16880/Add.10, S/16880/Add.15, S/16880/Add.20, S/16880/Add.21, S/16880/Add.41, S/16880/Add.46, S/17725/Add.2, S/17725/Add.15, S/17725/Add.21, S/17725/Add.28, S/17725/Add.35, S/17725/Add.38, S/17725/Add.43, S/17725/Add.47, S/18570/Add.2, S/18570/Add.21, S/18570/Add.30, S/18570/Add.47, S/19420/Add.2, S/19420/Add.3, S/19420/Add.4, S/19420/Add.18, S/19420/Add.19, S/19420/Add.22 and Corr.1, S/19420/Add.30, S/19420/Add.48, S/19420/Add.50, S/20370/Add.4, S/20370/Add.12, S/20370/Add.16, S/20370/Add.21, S/20370/Add.30, S/20370/Add.32, S/20370/Add.37, S/20370/Add.44, S/20370/Add.46, S/20370/Add.47, S/20370/Add.51, S/21100/Add.4, S/21100/Add.21, S/21100/Add.30, S/21100/Add.47, S/22110/Add.4, S/22110/Add.21, S/22110/Add.30, S/22110/Add.47, S/23370/Add.4, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.30, S/23370/Add.47, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.48, S/1994/20/Add.3, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.29, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.4, S/1995/40/Add.21, S/1995/40/Add.29, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.15, S/1996/15/Add.21 and S/1996/15/Add.30)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3715th meeting, held on 27 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) for the period from 18 May to 18 November 1996 (S/1996/959 and Corr.1).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/975) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/975, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1081 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1081 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The President then stated that, in connection with the resolution just adopted, he had been authorized to make a complementary statement on behalf of the Council. He then read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1996/45; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (see S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1996/15/Add.6 and S/1996/15/Add.21; see also S/22110/Add.38, S/22110/Add.47, S/22110/Add.50, S/23370/Add.1, S/23370/Add.5, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.14, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.19, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.23, S/23370/Add.24, S/23370/Add.26, S/23370/Add.28, S/23370/Add.29, S/23370/Add.31, S/23370/Add.32, S/23370/Add.35, S/23370/Add.36, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.45, S/23370/Add.46, S/23370/Add.49, S/23370/Add.50, S/25070/Add.1, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.7, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.9, S/25070/Add.11, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.15, S/25070/Add.16, S/25070/Add.17, S/25070/Add.18, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.29, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.33, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.39, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.41,

S/25070/Add.42, S/25070/Add.45, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.8, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.14, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.23, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.26, S/1994/20/Add.31, S/1994/20/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.44, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1994/20/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.2, S/1995/40/Add.5, S/1995/40/Add.6, S/1995/40/Add.12, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.15, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.17, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.19, S/1995/40/Add.23, S/1995/40/Add.24, S/1995/40/Add.26, S/1995/40/Add.27, S/1995/40/Add.28, S/1995/40/Add.29, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.31, S/1995/40/Add.32, S/1995/40/Add.35, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.39, S/1995/40/Add.40, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1995/40/Add.46, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.48, S/1995/40/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.1, S/1996/15/Add.2, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.6, S/1996/15/Add.7, S/1996/15/Add.8, S/1996/15/Add.13, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.20, S/1996/15/Add.21, S/1996/15/Add.26, S/1996/15/Add.28, S/1996/15/Add.30, S/1996/15/Add.31, S/1996/15/Add.32, S/1996/15/Add.37, S/1996/15/Add.39, S/1996/15/Add.40 and S/1996/15/Add.45)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3716th meeting, held on 27 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force pursuant to Security Council resolution 1058 (1996) (S/1996/961).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/979), which had been submitted by France, Germany, Italy, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/979, which received 14 votes in favour, to none against, with one abstention (Russian Federation) and was adopted as resolution 1082 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1082 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in Liberia (see S/22110/Add.3 and Corr.1, S/23370/Add.18, S/23370/Add.46, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.27, S/1994/20/Add.36, S/1994/20/Add.41, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.25, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1996/15/Add.3, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.14, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.21 and S/1996/15/Add.34)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3717th meeting, held on 27 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the twentieth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia (S/1996/962).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Liberia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/984) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/984 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1083 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1083 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation concerning Western Sahara (see S/11593/Add.42, S/11593/Add.44, S/19420/Add.38, S/21100/Add.25, S/22110/Add.17, S/23370, S/25070/Add.9, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.29, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.20, S/1995/40/Add.25, S/1995/40/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.50 and S/1996/15/Add.21)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3718th meeting, held on 27 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/1996/913).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/985) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/985 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1084 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1084 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The question concerning Haiti (see S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.35, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.38, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.43, S/25070/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.1, S/1994/20/Add.11, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.27, S/1994/20/Add.30, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.40, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.4, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.45, S/1996/15/Add.8 and S/1996/15/Add.25; see also S/22110/Add.39)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3719th meeting, held on 29 November 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti (S/1996/813 and Add.1).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/990) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/990 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1085 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1085 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

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Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1996/15 of 11 January 1996, S/1996/15/Add.4 of 9 February 1996, S/1996/15/Add.8 of 8 March 1996, S/1996/15/Add.14 of 19 April 1996, S/1996/15/Add.18 of 17 May 1996, S/1996/15/Add.32 of 23 August 1996, S/1996/15/Add.41 of 25 October 1996 and S/1996/15/Add.43 of 8 November 1996.

During the week ending 7 December 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Sierra Leone (see S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1996/15/Add.6 and S/1996/15/Add.11)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3720th meeting, held on 4 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Sierra Leone, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council. He then read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1996/46; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

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The question concerning Haiti (see S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.35, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.38, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.43, S/25070/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.1, S/1994/20/Add.11, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.27, S/1994/20/Add.30, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.40, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.4, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.45, S/1996/15/Add.8, S/1996/15/Add.25 and S/1996/15/Add.47; see also S/22110/Add.39)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3721st meeting, held on 5 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti (S/1996/813 and Add.1).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Argentina, Canada, Haiti and Venezuela, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/1002) which had been submitted by Argentina, Canada, Chile, France, the United States of America and Venezuela.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/1002 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1086 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1086 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

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Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1996/15 of 11 January 1996, S/1996/15/Add.4 of 9 February 1996, S/1996/15/Add.8 of 8 March 1996, S/1996/15/Add.14 of 19 April 1996, S/1996/15/Add.18 of 17 May 1996, S/1996/15/Add.32 of 23 August 1996, S/1996/15/Add.41 of 25 October 1996 and S/1996/15/Add.43 of 8 November 1996.

During the week ending 14 December 1996, at its 3725th meeting, held in private on 13 December 1996, the Security Council considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"At its 3725th meeting, held in private on 13 December 1996, the Security Council considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

"The Security Council adopted by acclamation the following resolution:

'The Security Council,

'Having considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations,

'Recommends to the General Assembly that Mr. Kofi Annan be appointed Secretary-General of the United Nations for a term of office from 1 January 1997 to 31 December 2001.'

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"Thereafter, the Security Council unanimously adopted by acclamation the following resolution:

'The Security Council,

'Recognizing the central role that Secretary-General Dr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali has played in guiding the Organization in the discharge of his responsibilities under the Charter of the United Nations,

'Further recognizing his sustained efforts towards finding just and lasting solutions to various disputes and conflicts around the globe,

'Commending the reforms that he has initiated and the many proposals that he has made on the restructuring and strengthening of the role and functioning of the United Nations system,

'1. Acknowledges the contribution of Secretary-General Dr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali to international peace, security and development, his exceptional efforts to solve international problems in economic, social and cultural fields, as well as his endeavours to meet humanitarian needs and to promote and encourage respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms for all;

'2. Expresses its deep appreciation to Secretary-General Dr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali for his dedication to the purposes and principles enshrined in the Charter and to the development of friendly relations among nations.'"

Also, during the week ending 14 December 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Angola (see S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.10, S/25070/Add.17, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.44, S/25070/Add.50, S/1994/20/Add.5, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.31, S/1994/20/Add.35, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.42, S/1994/20/Add.43, S/1994/20/Add.48, S/1995/40/Add.5, S/1995/40/Add.9, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.31, S/1995/40/Add.40, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.5, S/1996/15/Add.16, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.27 and S/1996/15/Add.40; see also S/19420/Add.51, S/22110/Add.21, S/23370/Add.12, S/23370/Add.27, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.48 and S/23370/Add.51)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3722nd meeting, held on 11 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM III) (S/1996/1000).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Angola, Brazil, Lesotho, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Portugal,

Sao Tome and Principe, South Africa, the United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/1026) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations, on the basis of the draft resolution submitted by Portugal, the Russian Federation and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/1026 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1087 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1087 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina (see S/23370/Add.36, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.45, S/25070/Add.1, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.7, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.9, S/25070/Add.11, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.15, S/25070/Add.16, S/25070/Add.18, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.29, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.45, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.8, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.14, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.23, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.44, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1994/20/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.6, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.15, S/1995/40/Add.17, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.24, S/1995/40/Add.26, S/1995/40/Add.27, S/1995/40/Add.28, S/1995/40/Add.29, S/1995/40/Add.31, S/1995/40/Add.35, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.40, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.48, S/1995/40/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.13, S/1996/15/Add.31 and S/1996/15/Add.40; see also S/22110/Add.38, S/22110/Add.47, S/22110/Add.50, S/23370/Add.1, S/23370/Add.5, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.14, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.19, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.23, S/23370/Add.24, S/23370/Add.26, S/23370/Add.28, S/23370/Add.29, S/23370/Add.31, S/23370/Add.32, S/23370/Add.35, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.46, S/23370/Add.49, S/23370/Add.50, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.17, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.33, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.39, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.42, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.26, S/1994/20/Add.31, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.2, S/1995/40/Add.5, S/1995/40/Add.12, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.19, S/1995/40/Add.23, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.32, S/1995/40/Add.39, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1995/40/Add.46, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.1, S/1996/15/Add.2, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.6, S/1996/15/Add.7, S/1996/15/Add.8, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.20, S/1996/15/Add.21, S/1996/15/Add.26, S/1996/15/Add.28, S/1996/15/Add.30, S/1996/15/Add.32, S/1996/15/Add.37, S/1996/15/Add.39, S/1996/15/Add.45 and S/1996/15/Add.47)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3723rd meeting, held on 12 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached

In its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General pursuant to Security Council resolution 1035 (1995) (S/1996/1017), the letter dated 21 November 1996 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1996/968) and the letter dated 5 December 1996 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/1996/1012).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, the Czech Republic, Ireland, Malaysia, Norway, Turkey and Ukraine, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/1032) which had been submitted by France, Germany, Italy, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/1032 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1088 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1088 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in Tajikistan and along the Tajik-Afghan border (see S/25070/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, S/1994/20/Add.44, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.19, S/1995/40/Add.23, S/1995/40/Add.33, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1995/40/Add.49, S/1996/15/Add.20, S/1996/15/Add.23 and S/1996/15/Add.37; see also S/23370/Add.43)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3724th meeting, held on 13 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Tajikistan (S/1996/1010).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Tajikistan, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/1039) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/1039 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1089 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1089 (1996)); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

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Addendum

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During the week ending 21 December 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Somalia (see S/23370/Add.11, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.30, S/23370/Add.34, S/23370/Add.48, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.38, S/25070/Add.43, S/25070/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.33, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.43, S/1995/40/Add.13, S/1996/15/Add.3 and S/1996/15/Add.10; see also S/23370/Add.3)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3726th meeting, held on 20 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Security Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1996/47; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in Croatia (see S/25070/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.5, S/1995/40/Add.16, S/1995/40/Add.17, S/1995/40/Add.19, S/1995/40/Add.23, S/1995/40/Add.30, S/1995/40/Add.31, S/1995/40/Add.35, S/1995/40/Add.39, S/1995/40/Add.46, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.1, S/1996/15/Add.2, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.7, S/1996/15/Add.20, S/1996/15/Add.26, S/1996/15/Add.28,

S/1996/15/Add.30, S/1996/15/Add.32 and S/1996/15/Add.45; see also S/22110/Add.38, S/22110/Add.47, S/22110/Add.50, S/23370/Add.1, S/23370/Add.5, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.14, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.19, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.23, S/23370/Add.24, S/23370/Add.26, S/23370/Add.28, S/23370/Add.29, S/23370/Add.31, S/23370/Add.32, S/23370/Add.35, S/23370/Add.36, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.45, S/23370/Add.46, S/23370/Add.49, S/23370/Add.50, S/25070/Add.1, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.7, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.9, S/25070/Add.11, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.15, S/25070/Add.16, S/25070/Add.17, S/25070/Add.18, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.29, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.33, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.39, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.42, S/25070/Add.45, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.8, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.14, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.23, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.26, S/1994/20/Add.31, S/1994/20/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, S/1994/20/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.44, S/1994/20/Add.45, S/1994/20/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.47, S/1994/20/Add.49, S/1995/40, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.2, S/1995/40/Add.6, S/1995/40/Add.12, S/1995/40/Add 14, S/1995/40/Add.15, S/1995/40/Add.18, S/1995/40/Add.24, S/1995/40/Add.26, S/1995/40/Add.27, S/1995/40/Add.28, S/1995/40/Add.29, S/1995/40/Add.32, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.37, S/1995/40/Add.40, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1995/40/Add.47, S/1995/40/Add.48, S/1995/40/Add.49, S/1995/40/Add.50, S/1996/15/Add.6, S/1996/15/Add.8, S/1996/15/Add.13, S/1996/15/Add.18, S/1996/15/Add.21, S/1996/15/Add.31, S/1996/15/Add.37, S/1996/15/Add.39, S/1996/15/Add.40, S/1996/15/Add.47 and S/1996/15/Add.49)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3727th meeting, held on 20 December 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations having before it the further report on the situation of human rights in Croatia pursuant to Security Council resolution 1019 (1995) (S/1996/1011 and Corr.1).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Croatia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Security Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1996/48; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).